## OFFICE OF GOVERNOR RONNIE MUSGROVE INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: GOVERNOR

 FROM:
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 SUBJECT:
 SB 2182

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## **SB 2182**

SB 2182 amends current law to increase the fees for the issuance of second and subsequent duplicate drivers' licenses and ID cards issued by DPS. SB 2182 also clarifies that all such fees, except photograph fees, are to be deposited into the State General Fund. SB 2182 also amends current law to provide that:

- no person who is illegally in the U.S. or Mississippi shall be issued a license
- the application of a person who is not a U.S. citizen and who does not have a social security number must include certain information about that person.
- any license issued to a person who is not a U.S. citizen and who does not possess a social security number shall expire one year from the date of issuance and may be renewed if such person is otherwise qualified to renew such license within 30 days of expiration.
- the fee for a regular driver's or operator's license shall be \$8 plus the photo fee for any person who is not a U.S. citizen and who does not possess a social security number
- the fee for a 1-year restricted motorcycle operator's license will be \$8 plus the photo fee
- the fee for a commercial driver's license shall be \$8 plus the photo fee for any person who is not a U.S. citizen and who does not possess a social security number. The license will expire after 1 year, but the person may renew within 30 days.
- the Commissioner of Public Safety will prescribe the form of license issued to noncitizens who do not possess a social security number.
- a non-citizen who does not possess a social security number, upon payment of the \$11 fee, shall be issued an ID care that will be valid for 1 year.

Sections 1-6 are effective July 1, 2002, while Section 7 (ID cards) is effective upon passage.

I recommend that you sign SB 2182.